

# THE GLEICHEN CALL

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## Large Crowd at Turkey Shoot

The Gleichen Gun Club held a hunt and turkey shoot the other day and it was probably one of the most successful events, ever staged here. There was a tremendous crowd of trap shooters on hand. They came from, Aceme, Calgary, Moosehide, Huxar, Queenstown, Airdrie and a good many other places. To say the Club was astounded at the number of trap shooters that turned out is putting it mildly. Altogether there were over 300 shooters on hand. An extra trap was set up behind grain doors. By the time all the hams and turkeys were shot for darkness had set in. One youthful member of the local club, Stan Haskayne, out shot a Mr. Johnston of Calgary who holds the Dominion championship trap. Turkey and ham ran short, however all visiting winners were supplied with their prizes while the local winners got their prizes a day or so later.

## U.G.G. Ltd. Ends Successful Year

J. E. Brownlee, K.C., of Calgary was elected President of the United Grain Growers Limited at a meeting of the board of directors which followed the company's 43 annual meeting held in Winnipeg, R. C. The Winnipeg meeting was re-elected first vice-president, J. Harvey Lane of Fillmore, Saskatchewan, second vice-president. Additional members of the executive committee of the board of directors are J. J. MacLellan, Port Arthur, Alta., and E. Bayne, Winnipeg. Other Alberta members of the board of directors are S. S. Stanton, H. Allen, Huxar and J. Stevens of Morrisville.

In presenting the director's report to the 300 delegates who attended the annual meeting, President Brownlee reported a profit on the year's operations, which ended July 31st of \$515,710. This was after all costs including \$200,000 to shortly be paid out as patronage dividends on grain deliveries for the year. The company's balance sheet shows current and working assets of \$8,862,997 with current liabilities of \$5,151,357, leaving capital at \$3,711,640, \$321,300 over the preceding year. The president's report showed that grain handlings for the year had been the highest in the Company's history, reflecting satisfactory results from expansion in the country elevator system which had taken place in the previous year. Purchases at that time of 110 elevators from the Itasca Grain Company and five from the Anderson Grain Company, has brought the Company's elevator system up to the present number of 625. Terminal elevators at Prince Albert and Vancouver have a capacity of five and a half million bushels and 2,000,000 bushels respectively. Delegates attending the meeting represented over 42,000 farmer share holders in the prairie provinces.

George E. Dewarty of Calgary is president of the Western Division of the company, which comprises nearly 300 elevators operated by the company in Alberta.

## The Ottawa Letter

### CANADIAN NATIONHOOD

In parliamentary history the 1949 session will stand out as a session in which the steps were taken toward nationhood within the empire. The record of the steps taken in the past years, this goal were briefly reviewed.

The rebellion of 1837 had different aspects, yet it was essentially a contest to enlarge the freedom of self government for Upper and Lower Canada.

When Upper and Lower Canada were united, Sir Alexander Gait and Sir John A. Macdonald found the British reluctant to surrender certain rights to Canada, especially the rights of levying custom duties. At the time, Britain had established free trade and rather objected to Canada imposing the free movement of goods into and out of Canada. Canada, as a young struggling country, needed the revenue and wished to protect the infant industries from outside competition.

Canada obtained this power and the British confederation was achieved. Over the years this has grown to

Northern Ireland still produces the finest linens. The looms of some grown flax although quantities Belfast still produce the finest linen of raw material are also imported.

After a great accomplishment and the British Act has ever since been the Constitution of Canada.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier successfully preached the doctrine that racial and religious conflicts should not submerge the great advance of nationhood.

After World War I, Sir Robert Borden insisted that Canada be represented in her own right at the signing of the Peace Treaty of Versailles. He stated that if Canada was not represented by her own delegates, she would not be represented at all.

In 1926 the Statute of Westminster gave Canada practically complete independence as an equal nation with the Empire paying allegiance to the British Crown.

The Supreme Court Act and the address of both Houses asking the right to amend the Constitution with certain, well defined limitations, will be a further step toward making Canada a self governing nation within the Commonwealth.

The fathers of confederation had a great vision. They gave the provinces jurisdiction over education, health, property and civil rights and their fields set forth in the B.N.A. oaths and neopaganism emphy. The Dominion had other power and the residual rights. As the years have passed a few amendments have been made, because the picture has changed.

In 1967 Canada was a series of scattered, disconnected, pioneer settlements with a population of three million. Today Canada has great transportation systems, large cities, universities and industries. The population is 15,500,000 and she is the third trading nation of the world.

Canadians, if true to the traditions, can build a nation where freedom, justice and fairness will reign, and that will be an inspiration to other nations in this weary and distressed world.

F. W. GERSHAW.

## OBITUARY

### HERBERT DAY

Herbert Day who lived in the district for some years but several years ago moved to Queenstown died last week in Calgary after a lengthy illness. He was born in Wingham, England and came to Olds in 1926 and sometime later moved to Gleichen where he married until 1945 when he purchased a farm in the Queenstown district and moved there. He was a member of the Gleichen Canadian Legion.

He is survived by his wife, two children Carl and Jean of Calgary and three sisters in the Old Country. The funeral took place in Calgary Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock with interment being made in the Field of Honor Burialment cemetery. The pallbearers were: K. McLeay, F. G. Durston, W. Riddell, C. Nelson, J. A. MacArthur and W. Robertson.

### MR. ANDREW'S CHURCH

Sunday November 27.

Morning prayer 12 noon. The above service will probably be conducted by a minister from Calgary.

The tail of the beaver, when properly cooked, has been considered a delicacy since the first settlement of North America.

In 1948 Canadian consumption of petroleum products was 285 imperial gallons per person, exceeded in the world only by the United States consumption of 560 imperial gallons.

The total life insurance in force at the beginning of 1948 was approximately \$1,007 for every man, woman and child in Canada.

## Ladies Curling Club Elect Officers

The members of the Gleichen Ladies Curling Club held a meeting of their organization in the rink lounge room last week.

The slate of officers for the coming year will consist of the following: President—Mrs. E. Schmidt, Vice-President—Mrs. L. Blansy, Secretary—Mrs. L. Fiddes, Treasurer—Mrs. R. James.

The meeting was informed that the club's financial position was in excellent shape and they had a bank balance of \$185 with which to start the season.

The club decided to buy a new carpet to put on the stairs.

## WHAT IS EDUCATION

Educational policies and educational methods are today the subject of much investigation, study and discussion, and particularly so in all English speaking countries. Perhaps in no previous period has the subject of education received more attention from the masses of the people. For a greater extent than ever in the past parents are showing a real interest and deep concern. They are in a questioning and questing mood, anxious to know whether accepted policies, systems and methods are productive of the best results.

It is also true that our schools and higher institutions of learning are costing much more, and that the bills which have to be met by the taxpayers in order to provide and maintain their school systems are mounting year by year, and already constitute a large percentage of the annual tax levy. The vast majority do not object to this if, and this is the vital matter—they are obtaining decidedly better results in the education of the younger generation, and all that they have a right to expect from such increased expenditures.

The higher standard of living now so universal, as contrasted with years ago, has the effect of enabling parents to give their children high school and university training to an extent hitherto unknown. Tens of thousands of children now proceed high school and colleges who not long ago would have completed their training when they finished with public school. And the demand is for still greater facilities for secondary education, especially for those resident in rural areas and the smaller hamlets and villages scattered all over the land.

The question arises in the minds of many: Are all these young people being truly educated? Are the thousands of young men and women annually gathering from our universities with the right to add letters after their names, education in the trust and highest acceptance of the world? Or are they merely equipped with certain tools which many of them do not know how to use for their own advancement and the welfare of the human family?

A veteran educationist of a unique kind, who has used the term "education" for good living. What an absurdity it would be to certify as well educated a youth who has never been socially awakened, well educated, yet negligible as far as social well being and social progress are concerned. He possesses a few points by which a truly educated man can be detected which are worthy of consideration.

An educated man is one who is trained to use the tools of human intercourse with readiness, precision, and accuracy. We mean, especially, language and the rudiments of human behavior.

An educated man must be able to study and to think without guidance from others. He must be to some extent a thinker, not a mere imitator. An educated man must have sufficient knowledge of nature to understand the main processes upon which human life and happiness depend.

An educated man knows enough of history to enable him to understand the main achievements of man.

An educated man is acquainted with the main sources for intellectual and aesthetic enjoyment. He knows nature, literature, music, and the other arts sufficiently to choose superior to inferior enjoyment.

An educated man is marked by his interests as well as by his trained abilities. His attention is habitually attracted by significant rather than trivial objects, events, pursuits, and enjoyments.

An educated man must have not only this general culture, but also training for a specific occupation. Focalized activity that is directed toward some sort of efficiency has to be included.

An educated man must have toward his fellows the habitual attitudes that are commonly called "ethical"—such attitudes as honor and honesty, helpfulness, good will and co-operation. An educated man must have loyalty to at least some of the important organizations and institutions of society, such as one's family, one's country, one's church.

If there is an inclusive meaning in life, the sort of education that has been outlined should include some apprehension of, and feeling for, the divine. The ideally educated man will reverence God, and know how to worship.

In order to determine whether one's education is still alive and growing, and it should always be alive and growing, not a dead and finished thing, if it is real education—an evering the following questions: Am I learning to study and to think?

Am I getting the knowledge that I need most? Am I learning to understand things that are most worth while? Am I acquiring esthetic appreciation of significant values in life?

Am I living in the real world or in a corner apart? Am I learning to



That's what I used to say, and it was true. Sometimes I'd dream of the day when I'd have time and leisure to do all the things I wanted to do, but I had to admit I wasn't doing anything about it except dream. I never seemed to be able to put anything else.

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## THE PLAN

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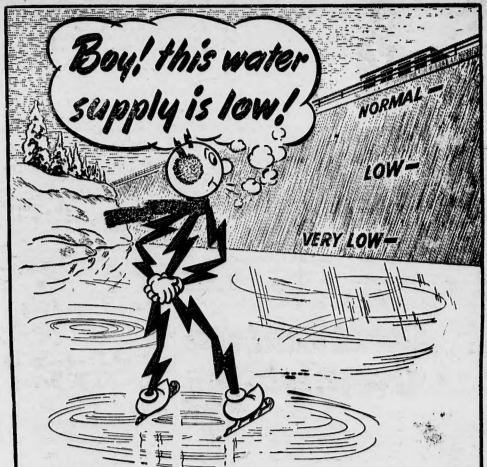
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Tune in to Kerry Wood—"Alberta Past and Present"—CFCN, Thurs., 10:15 p.m.

## Measures For Safety

THE EVER-INCREASING USE OF MACHINES in industry have raised efficiency and production rates to high levels. In spite of this speed and efficiency, however, and the excellent working conditions provided in most modern industrial plants, the chances of accidents are often great and constant precautions are taken to protect employees from receiving injuries while they are at work. Safety engineering has become a highly specialized profession and most industrial plants retain at least one man whose duty it is to keep the number of accidents among workers as low as possible. In large industries there is often a central safety committee, composed of safety officers and officials of the plant, who work together to make working conditions as safe as possible.

### Many Safety Measures Used

There are a number of approaches to the problem of reducing industrial accidents. Safety devices for machines and the removal of hazards in the way of unsafe stairways, elevators and other such structural defects are, of course, important. There is also the need to educate workers to the potential hazards of their machines or tools, and to any other possible causes of accidents about the plant. Careful investigation of the cause of any accidents which do occur, and the rectification of the cause, if possible, is also a safety measure used in most industries, as is the penalizing of any employees who cause accidents through carelessness. Farming, while it is an industry, cannot be compared with industrial plants in which rules can be enforced and constant supervision exercised. However, machines are used very extensively on farms today, especially in the West, and statistics show that farmers are frequently injured in the line of their work.

### Should Try To Reduce Loss

From June, 1944, to June, 1947, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported that 37,200 farmers were injured at work and more than 1,000,000 man days were lost to Canadian farmers due to fire and accidents. Because of the extensive use of machinery on the prairies, about sixty per cent. of the farm accidents occur in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, although these provinces claim only about one-third of Canada's farming population. The same methods of preventing accidents in industrial plants cannot be used on the farm, but great efforts are made to acquaint the farmer with the correct ways of using complex machinery and with the dangers involved in that part of his work. Manufacturers of farm machinery also make special efforts to remove all possible weaknesses or defects which might lead to accidents due to faulty construction of the machines. The importance of anticipating and preventing accidents is stressed everywhere today, and agriculture is endeavoring to keep pace with other industries in cutting down the number of man days lost each year due to these causes.

**CHAPEL PLANNED**  
WINNIPEG.—A chapel in the International Peace Gardens, situated on the border between Canada and the United States, is to be promoted by the International War Veterans alliance. This was decided at a meeting of the alliance here.

### How I Subdued Wild Fiery Itch—

Dr. Duncan's amazing relief tablet... (text continues with a testimonial about a skin condition)

### FOR QUICK RELIEF BEYOND BELIEF...

For relief from the pain of ARTHRITIS, RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA, SCIATICA... (text continues with a testimonial about pain relief)

### COME OUT FROM UNDER THE SHADOW OF PAIN!

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### DOLCIN

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### Take Vitamins

### Allenbury's Haliborange

The Nicely Way  
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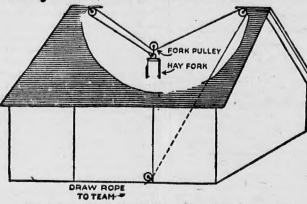
From all Drugstores, 85¢, \$1.50 and \$2.75.

### Same "Wild" Mallard Duck



Photographed on the 800-acre property of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mercer, Trout Creek, Ont., the centre of interest is the "wild" Mallard Duck lifted and raised by the black hen at right in picture. The speckled birds are Guinea Fowls.

### Hayfork Installation Plan



Draining of hayfork installation where there is no track.  
A hayfork can be installed in a barn without a track. By this method the bundle will be drawn nearly straight up for a considerable distance before it is pulled laterally into the mow. The centre pulley, or fork pulley, is attached to the fork as is only one end of the rope. This end of the rope then passes through the pulley over the mow, then down through the fork pulley, up through the pulley over the other mow and down to the draw pulley at the floor. If the other mow is to be filled the end of the rope now on the fork is run down to the floor about the end now running to the team in the barn. In timber frame barns with collar beams it is sometimes necessary to nail plank between the beams to prevent bundles from catching under the beams on their way up.

### FUNNY And OTHERWISE

Blacknakes, we read, are good for chasing snakes out of a home. Are they as effective with relatives?

When her baby cried so loudly, Mrs. Jones felt obliged to drop everything and investigate. "Tommy," she called downstairs, "what's the matter with your little brother?"

"He's crying because I'm eating my cake and won't give him any," Tommy replied.

"Is his cake finished yet?" "Sure—and he cried while I was eating that too."

Stranger (to merchant)—Do you find that married men or single men make the best clerks?

Merchant (whispering)—Married men. They are not in such an awful rush to get out of the place and get home.

A little girl who attended her first church wedding turned to her mother as the bride left and asked: "Mummy, why did she change her mind?"

"She didn't change her mind," the mother answered. "Why do you think so?"

"Well," said the little girl, "she went up the aisle with one man and came back with another."

A tourmiquet and a wedding ring are one thing in common, observes a wisecracker. They both stop circulation.

Looking up from his book, "what are diplomatic relations?" "My boy," said his father, sadly, "there aren't any."

"Daddy," said little Johnny, "Junior: Mother. I'm the best looking boy in Sunday school. Why, Junior? Who told you that?"

Junior: Nobody, mother. Nobody didn't have to tell me. I saw all the rest of them.

### THE TILLERS

BACK FROM THE FARM ALREADY! YEP AND I'LL NEVER AGAIN WITH JIM ASIN! CROOKED! WE TOSSED A BUNCH OF WOULD YAP FOR THE LUNCH!

### Provinces Sent Record Exhibits To Winter Fair

WINNIPEG.—Livestock breeders assembled the biggest exhibit ever entered from Manitoba in the Royal Winter Fair at Toronto.

The exhibit included 37 horses, 80 head of cattle, and 48 swine, property of 40 leading Manitoba farmers.

All entries were picked by committees of the breed organization.

REGINA.—About twice as many beef cattle was shown by Saskatchewan exhibitors at the Royal Winter Fair, according to C. E. Beveridge, provincial livestock commissioner.

The nine carloads of livestock represented Saskatchewan in the Royal competitions last Regina and Saskatchewan and were made up of about 40 horses, 35 cattle, 30 swine and a small number of sheep. Leaving from Regina were two cars of horses, three cars of cattle, and a car of swine and sheep. These were joined at Melville by three cars of horses from Saskatoon.

### "Say Goodbye to Backache"

—SAYS GRANDMA

Backache is a misery that strikes many women in middle life. But if you could see Mrs. W. H. of Wolland, Ont., a grandmother well past 60, working in her nest little home day after day, you would really appreciate how much she loves backache.

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### Estimate Life For Turner Valley Gas Given As 10 Years

CALGARY.—Estimated life of the Turner Valley natural gas reserves has been reduced to 10 years, Stanley J. Davies, gas engineer for Calgary, told the board of public commissioners here.

In 1939 it was estimated that the reserves at Turner Valley would last for 30 years.

Shortening of the "life" of Turner Valley reserves was due chiefly to the increasing use of gas by big industrial consumers, the board was told.

When laying hens are allowed to graze in soggy yards or to drink from stagnant pools, they lay dark yolks, and the eggs may even be off-flavour.

### MARCH OF DIMES

OTTAWA.—A national Canadian March of Dimes campaign was sponsored by the Canadian Foundation for Poliotherapy. The drive is expected to get underway in January.

One hundred pounds of wheat yields 70 pounds of flour.

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AND HE CREATED? I'LL SAY DID?

HE SWITCHED CONS ON ME AND I DON'T CARE! USE MY TWO NECKED HORSE!





